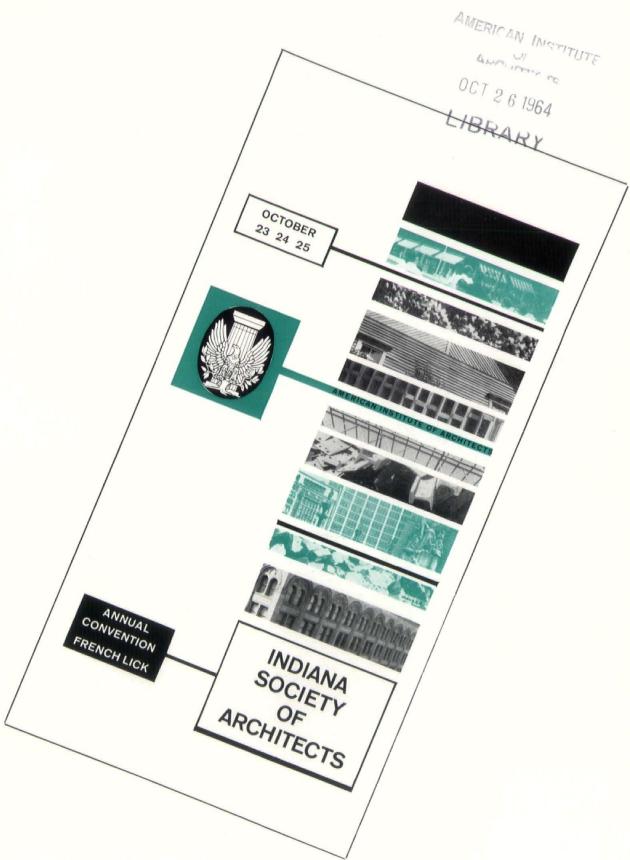
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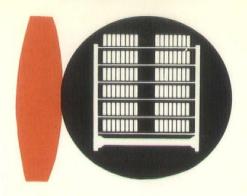
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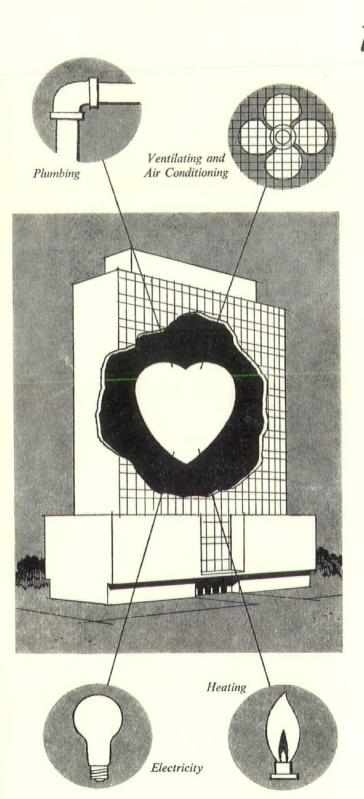


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#### Convention Time, 1964

This month's cover, and this month's issue, center about the October 23-24-25 convention at French Lick. The program cover illustrated was designed by one of our newest Associate members, Lynn Molzan of the Everett I. Brown Company.

Centerfold you will find the program of the convention; it contains three elements, a discussion of the proposed School of Architecture, a specification workshop, and entertainment, with the necessary business sessions interspersed.

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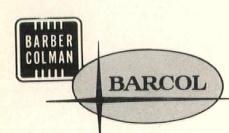
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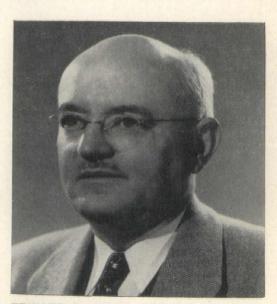
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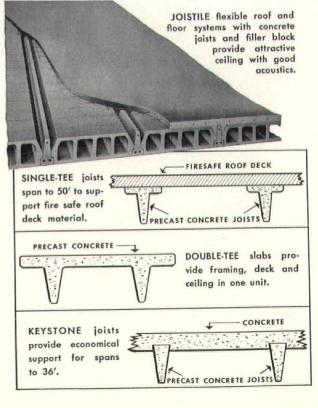
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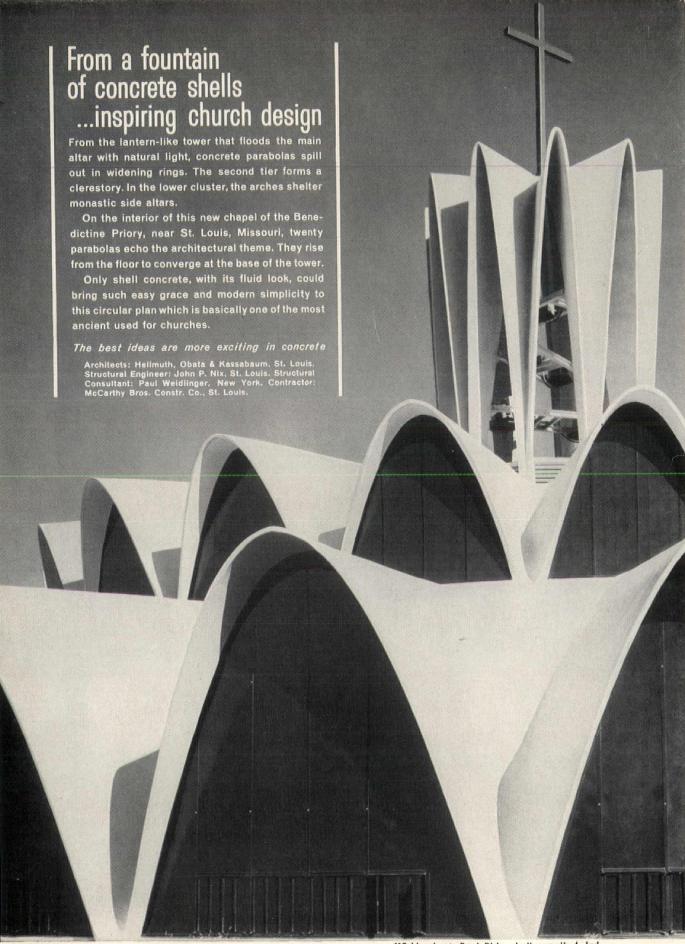


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KENNETH W. WILLIAMS, AIA

Mr. Kenneth W. Williams, AIA, well-known Kokomo architect, died October 4th in St. Joseph's Hospital at Kokomo. He had been in private practice in his native city since 1930.

Mr. Williams had specialized in church architecture, and had designed more than 300 churches. He received his architectural training at the University of Illinois, and was registered to practice in Indiana, Illinois, Michigan and Ohio. He had been a member of the American Institute of Architects and the Indiana Society of Architects since 1942, and also was a member of the Church Architectural Guild of America.

Mr. Williams was associate architect for the \$3 million Indiana University Kokomo campus, now under construction.

He is survived by a son, Richard E. Williams, who was associated with him in his architectural practice, and a daughter, Josephine Smith of St. Paul, Minnesota.

Mr. Don B. Fisher, AIA, of Indianapolis, has announced the establishment in Indianapolis of his new firm, D. B. Fisher Architects, Inc., for the general practice of architecture. The new firm will be located at 5339 East 62nd Street.

Mr. Fisher is a graduate of the University of Cincinnati, a corporate member of the American Institute of Architects and the Indiana Society of Architects. He formerly was a founding partner of Architects Coordinate of Indianapolis, and has had 17 years experience, including schools, churches, institutional buildings, apartment houses and industrial complexes.

Announcement is made in Indianapolis of the reorganization of Architects Coordinate as Architects Coordinate-Cooler, Lakin, Schubert, Inc. The firm is located at 4845 North College Avenue, Indianapolis.

# Architecture in the News

Principals in the reorganized firm are Mr. Harry E. Cooler, AIA, Mr. Robert E. Lakin, AIA, and Mr. William C. Schubert, AIA. All are corporate members of the American Institute of Architects and the Indiana Society of Architects.

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Unfortunately, the new Indianapolis classified telephone directory managed to insert an incorrect number for the Indiana Society's executive office, in the listing under the AIA seal.

The actual number of the Society remains, as it has been, Tilden 9-2103. The number listed in the directory is that of a private residence.

Aware of the problems this error presents, the Society and the telephone company are trying to work out a compromise. The "white page" listing is correct.

Incidentally, the ISA office will be closed Thursday, Friday, and Saturday, October 22, 23 and 24, due to the convention starting on Friday. The office will reopen on Monday, October 26th.

More than 70 leading building scientists will participate in the 1964 Fall Conferences of the Building Research Institute, to be held at the Shoreham Hotel, Washington, D.C., November 10-12. Over 50 technical papers will be presented at the Conferences, which will also include a workshop and a panel discussion.

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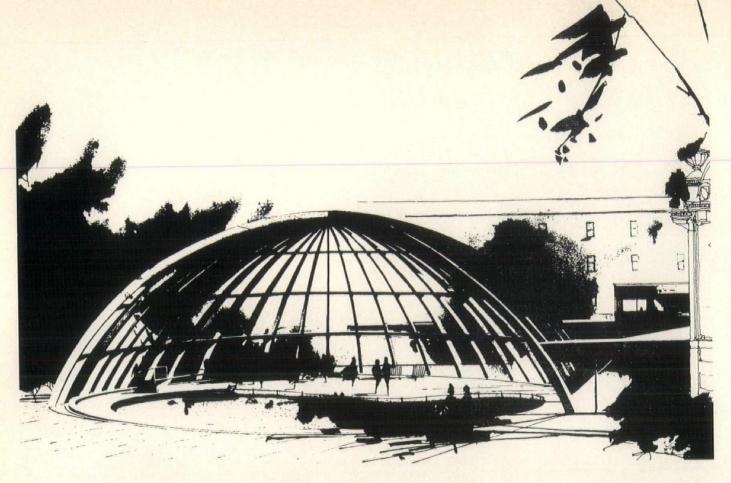
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3:30 P.M.

Adjournment

5:30 P.M.

Exhibit Area

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7:00 P.M.

East Dining Room

Annual Banquet (informal)

Newly-elected president, Indiana Society of Architects, presiding

Introduction of Scholarship Winners: Mr. Ewing Miller, AIA, Terre Haute, Chairman, ISA Scholarship Committee

Honoring of Fellows: Mr. Carl L. Bradley, AIA, Fort Wayne, Chairman, ISA Fellowship Committee

Speaker: Mr. Rex W. Allen, AIA, San Francisco, Second Vice-President, The American Institute of Architects

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SUNDAY, OCTOBER 25TH

7:30 A.M.-9:00 A.M.

Main Dining Room

Informal Breakfast

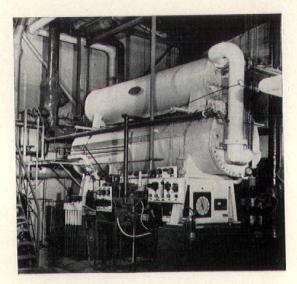
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The inferior painting may never be seen. Libraries are full of inferior plays, musical scores, and poetry that need never be heard. Sculpture is more of a problem, but the scale, at least, is usually favorable to anonymity. But architecture, like Mount Everest, is there in all its distinction or embarrassment.

The manner in which these composite mistakes are made and what we must do to anticipate some of them is really the theme of this article. A serious mistake which all artists make is to psychologically and sometimes physically separate themselves from each other and the public. Sculptors are important to architects, and architects should be important to poets and painters. If we believe that art is important, we will seek opportunities to be of service to each other. Most important, if we believe that art is important, we will seek opportunities to be of service to the public. Only then will art truly flourish in America.

We make a grave mistake if we consider ourselves to be members of a lonely and embattled intellectual elite, forever and hopelessly estraged from a brutish public with vulgar tastes. This attitude is nothing more than a rationale for personal failure. All of us are part of America's mass culture. All of us are, or should be, involved with the marketplace. Art reflects the culture of its time and, to be seen and heard at all, it must be fought for. Only in the last few and, perhaps, effete, centuries has the artist succeeded in isolating himself from society.

The very survival of art depends on the artists' participation in the life of the community. The quality of art can be affected by the decisions of people who lack understanding of it. A case in point is the sad situation of the famous Seagram building in New York city. This handsome structure has justifiably enhanced the reputation of the Seagram company, since the company encouraged the architects to create a handsome open space in a dense urban area, use only part of the site for the building, and design a beautiful structure. The tax commission thereupon made an esthetic determination that the owner, having created something special, should be taxed extra

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for it. The New York Court of Appeals, by a 4-3 decision, has agreed, Instead of paying taxes on the market value of the building, the owners are being forced to pay hundreds of thousands of dollars in addition for the "prestige value" of the structure. The judges are saying, in effect, that the owner shouldn't have tried to create something of superior quality unless he figured to get a tangible economic reward for it. This will give other owners pause before they try to build anything other than the run-of-the-mill office building.

This is one way in which urban monotony and ugliness begin. The Seagram case is unusual in what the judges said, but the pattern of thinking is not unusual. All across our land, the municipal mentality sets low taxes for slums and ugliness, and high taxes for beauty and distinction. Anybody who thinks this is normal and appropriate should think carefully about the purpose of a tax law and the public effect of this attitude. It is something that artists ought to think about — and do something about.

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The early Puritans were grim, resolute men because they had to ge. They had such admirable qualities as courage and fortitude. But they also had some less admirable qualities. They burned people they thought were witches. And they considered any form of beauty or adornment, at best, as frivolity. At worst, they considered it to be the handiwork of the Devil himself. There was little place for the artist in such a society.

We are still recovering from the Puritan hangover. We find it in many ways and places — in the idea that parks are less important to the community than parking lots; in the attitude that it is all right to spend large amounts of money on roads but frivolous to do it for schools.

This is an interesting phenomenon. Why should schools be built at the lowest cost? Why should they be denied adequate landscaping and amenities that will enrich the lives of the children and demonstrate the community's pride in its intellectual resources?

It happens to be a fact that, if schools were built for nothing, it would make very little difference on the average tax bill. Construction is a very small part of educational expenses. Yet in one State after another, year after year, public officials are pressed to develop some kind of plans for stock schools that will lower school building costs still further. This happens in the face of a voluminous amount of research conducted by many of the States. All of it shows the same thing. To quote one State official: "Stock plans represent the lazy, inefficient, and expensive way to provide school housing." To quote another: "Each building should be an improvement over the one built before. The use of stock plans tends to mechanize education, freeze the school program, and stop progress."

Are we still talking about art? We are indeed. In architecture, aesthetics, structure, and social function are and must be one. The budget doesn't buy two of the three. Art isn't something that can be pasted on later at extra cost. The only real limitation on the opportunity for artistic excellence is in the quality of the thinking — the thinking of the architect and the thinking of the client. The point should be obvious. As artists, we can't simply sit back and complain. We must get out and do. What good is art which is blighted by the ignorance of the client who commissions it? It will never be born. What good is art, once born, that cannot be seen or heard because of the ugliness around it? The answer to both of these problems lies in the strenuous activity of the artist in his community. He has been there before and he must go there again.

By preaching, by leading public movements, by political activity, by service on boards and commissions - by all of these means, the artist can educate and agitate for an environment of beauty. In The American Institute of Architects this is known as "aesthetic responsibility." A conference on aesthetic responsibility was held in New York City in 1962 by the New York Chapter of the Institute. Though a tentative first step, it was instrumental in the establishment, for the first time in 107 years of Institute history, of a national committee on aesthetics. Now, design committees have been set up in many AIA chapters. These committees have been set up both to further train the architect in design and to hold public conferences, similar to the one at French Lick last year, to stimulate aesthetic responsibility on the part of the community.

Another significant landmark was a three-day seminar which was held at Columbia University for reporters from 30 urban newspapers. For three days and two nights, the reporters argued with the architects and the faculties of the schools of architecture and journalism. We told the reporters very bluntly that there was a great gap in the reporting of the American newspaper and that they were abdicating their responsibility to lead community thinking in the shaping and re-shaping of our urban environment. They told us that this was largely our

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fault and demanded information to fill that gap. That group of 30 reporters is still corresponding with us and each other. The verbatim proceedings of that conference have been distributed to every newspaper in the nation with a circulation of 25,000 or over. Members of that original group have fanned out to spread the word to other journalists. One has written a book. Under AIA auspices, a dozen or more regional press seminars modeled on the Columbia pattern have been held or are being planned now in various parts of the nation. At the high school level, the Institute is preparing and distributing educational filmstrips and teaching aids on architecture and the citizen's

responsibility for environmental design.

We are doing all of these things because it is our public duty to do them. We must close the gap between art and people. Art must be made comprehensible to people, both by mirroring more accurately their aspirations and culture, and by raising their aspirations and culture. For many years, the AIA has sought to encourage both by awarding medals for artistic achievement in the fine arts. Recently, the Institute created a new medal for Collaborative Achievement in Architecture. This medal will be awarded annually "to the project which best exemplifies the results of outstanding collaboration between practitioners of the building arts, including architecture and at least three of the following categories: engineering, murals, sculpture, landscape architecture and craftsmanship."

This is a worthy activity but it is only one type of activity. Join us in waging an unrelenting war on ugliness. We will find few opponents with evil intentions. Our biggest enemy will be the apathy engendered by ignorance and the acceptance of mediocrity. Ugliness is wasteful and ruinous, yet it effloresces around us like the dead offal of a deserted beach. It is tolerated only because a passive permits it to exist. But the public cannot be aroused or, when aroused, intelligently seek remedies for poor design, shoddy workmanship, and community blight until it is informed. It cannot be informed until all of us, pooling our experience, skills, and perception as artists, band together to speak out and continue to do it until the public will is mobilized.

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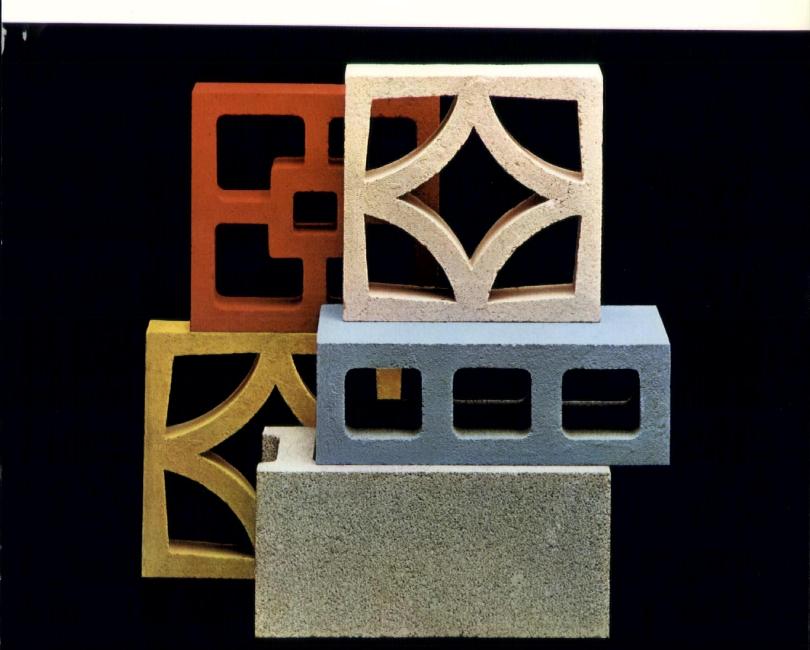
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WHEREAS, The Legislative Advisory Commission of the Ninety-third Session of the Indiana General Assembly created a committee to study feasibility of establishing a state school or college or architecture and planning in Indiana; and

WHEREAS, The study committee in its report to the Legislative Advisory Commission concluded that the establishment of an accredited college of architecture and planning at Ball State Teachers College was feasible and would be a forward step in the long-range program for the economic and cultural future of Indiana; and

WHEREAS, It is deemed necessary to provide for the establishment of such a school or college in order to provide equal educational

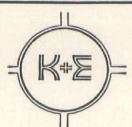
opportunities for those many Indiana citizens seeking to prepare for a career in architecture or planning; and

WHEREAS, The State of Indiana has a continuing and increasing need for the most competent and broadly - based professional assistance in the shaping of its total physical environment; and

WHEREAS, The State of Indiana is the only one of the leading states of the United States which does not provide at present a statesupported program of professional education in these vital disciplines; and

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SEC. 2. The construction, alteration or repair of any facility for the Ball State College of Architecture and Planning shall be contracted for in accordance with and pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 199 of the Acts of 1947.

SEC. 3. In order to carry out the provisions of this act which, among other things, requires special facilities to provide classrooms, offices, studios and related facilities for instruction and research in architectural design and technology, planning, landscape architecture, architectural history, engineering sciences, building construction, working drawings and specifications, office practice and management, fine and applied arts, and such allied subjects as deemed necessary for an accredited college of architecture and planning, appropriations out of the state general fund from funds not otherwise appropriated are hereby made to Ball State Teachers College as follows:

- (a) For the construction of facilities for the Ball State College of Architecture and Planning, the sum of one million dollars (\$1,000,000.00), to be made available on and after July 1, 1965, for expenditure by the State Teachers College Board, upon allotment by the state budget agency.
- (b) For furnishing and equipping the Ball State College of Architecture and Planning facility, the sum of one hundred thousand dollars (\$100,000.00), to be made available on and after July 1, 1965, for expenditure by the State Teachers College Board, upon allotment by the state budget agency.
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SEC. 4. Whereas an emergency exists for the more immediate taking effect of this act, the same shall be in full force and effect from and after July 1, 1965.

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